Michigan Department of Treasury 496 (02/06) Auditing Procedures Report

Issue	d unde	r P.A.	2 of 1968, as a	amended an	d P.A. 71 of 1919, a	as amended.							
Local Unit of Government Type							Local Unit Nan	ne		County			
	Coun	ty	□City	□Twp	□Village	Other							
Fisc	al Yea	r End			Opinion Date			Date Audit Report Submitted	d to State				
We	affirm	that						1					
We	e are certified public accountants licensed to practice in Michigan.												
					erial, "no" respo nents and reco			sed in the financial statem	ents, includ	ling the notes, or in the			
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1.			All required component units/funds/agencies of the local unit are included in the financial statements and/or disclosed in the reporting entity notes to the financial statements as necessary.										
2.			There are no accumulated deficits in one or more of this unit's unreserved fund balances/unrestricted net assets (P.A. 275 of 1980) or the local unit has not exceeded its budget for expenditures.										
3.			The local unit is in compliance with the Uniform Chart of Accounts issued by the Department of Treasury.										
4.			The local u	unit has a	dopted a budge	et for all re	quired funds						
5.			A public he	earing on	the budget was	s held in a	ccordance w	th State statute.					
6.			The local unit has not violated the Municipal Finance Act, an order issued under the Emergency Municipal Loan Act, or other guidance as issued by the Local Audit and Finance Division.										
7.			The local unit has not been delinquent in distributing tax revenues that were collected for another taxing unit.										
8.			The local unit only holds deposits/investments that comply with statutory requirements.										
9.			The local unit has no illegal or unauthorized expenditures that came to our attention as defined in the <i>Bulletin for Audits of Local Units of Government in Michigan,</i> as revised (see Appendix H of Bulletin).										
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11.			The local u	unit is free	e of repeated co	omments f	rom previous	years.					
12.			The audit	opinion is	UNQUALIFIE) .							
13.					omplied with G		GASB 34 as	modified by MCGAA Stat	ement #7 a	nd other generally			
14.			The board	or counc	il approves all i	nvoices pr	rior to payme	nt as required by charter o	r statute.				
15.			To our kno	owledge, I	oank reconcilia	tions that v	were reviewe	d were performed timely.					
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Township of Hamburg Livingston County, Michigan

Financial Report
with Supplemental Information
June 30, 2006

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Members of the Township Board Township of Hamburg, Livingston County, Michigan

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Township of Hamburg (the "Township") as of and for the year ended June 30, 2006, which collectively comprise the Township's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Township of Hamburg's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We did not audit the financial statements of the Hamburg Township Library (the "Library"), which is the Township's only discretely presented component unit. Those financial statements were audited by other auditors, whose report thereon has been furnished to us, and our opinion, insofar as it relates to the amounts included for the Hamburg Township Library, is based on the report of the other auditors.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, based on our audit and the report of the other auditors, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Township of Hamburg as of June 30, 2006 and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof for the year then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The management's discussion and analysis and the budgetary comparison schedules, as identified in the table of contents, are not required parts of the basic financial statements but are supplemental information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management, regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplemental information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

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To the Members of the Township Board Township of Hamburg, Livingston County, Michigan

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Township of Hamburg's basic financial statements. The accompanying other supplemental information, as identified in the table of contents, is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The other supplemental information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Plante & Moran, PLLC

October 26, 2006

Management's Discussion and Analysis

Our discussion and analysis of the Township of Hamburg's (the "Township") financial performance provides an overview of the Township's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2006. Please read it in conjunction with the Township's financial statements.

Financial Highlights

As discussed in further detail in this discussion and analysis, the following represents the most significant financial highlights for the year ended June 30, 2006:

- State-shared revenue, our largest revenue source, continued to decline. The Township received \$16,000 less in 2006 than in 2005 and, since 2002, has seen reductions of over \$200,000 per year, or a drop of approximately 13 percent annually. The Township reacted by cutting back department budgets and spending in order to minimize the negative impact on the General Fund's fund balance.
- Total net assets related to the Township's governmental activities were approximately \$12,441,000, an overall increase from the prior year of approximately \$740,000, or 6 percent.

Using this Annual Report

This annual report consists of four parts - the management's discussion and analysis, the basic financial statements, required supplemental information, and other supplemental information that presents combining statements for nonmajor governmental funds. The basic financial statements include two kinds of statements that present different views of the Township. The first statements are the statement of net assets and the statement of activities, which provide information about the activities of the Township as a whole and present a longer-term view of the Township's finances. This longer-term view uses the accrual basis of accounting so that it can measure the cost of providing services during the current year and whether the taxpayers have funded the full cost of providing government services.

The second statements are the fund financial statements, which present a short-term view; they tell us how the taxpayers' resources were spent during the year, as well as how much is available for future spending. Fund financial statements also report the Township's operations in more detail than the government-wide financial statements by providing information about the Township's most significant funds. The fiduciary fund statement provides financial information about activities for which the Township acts solely as a trustee or agent for the benefit of those outside of the government.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

The Township as a Whole

The following table shows, in a condensed format, the net assets at June 30, 2006 and 2005 (in thousands of dollars):

	Governmen	ntal Activities	Business-typ	oe Activities	Total					
	2006		2006	2005	2006	2005				
Assets										
Current assets	\$ 5,454	\$ 5,282	\$ 9,883	\$ 10,481	\$ 15,337	\$ 15,763				
Noncurrent assets	11,809	12,186	40,847	41,693	52,656	53,879				
Total assets	17,263	17,468	50,730	52,174	67,993	69,642				
Liabilities										
Current liabilities	1,303	1,577	2,175	2,685	3,478	4,262				
Long-term liabilities	3,519	4,191	19,717	20,942	23,236	25,133				
Total liabilities	4,822	5,768	21,892	23,627	26,714	29,395				
Net Assets										
Invested in capital assets -										
Net of related debt	4,549	4,197	8,904	8,232	13,453	12,429				
Restricted	1,409	961	8,312	8,427	9,721	9,388				
Unrestricted	6,483	6,542	11,622	11,888	18,105	18,430				
Total net assets	<u>\$ 12,441</u>	\$ 11,700	\$ 28,838	\$ 28,547	\$ 41,279	\$ 40,247				

The Township's combined net assets increased by slightly more than 2.5 percent from a year ago - increasing to approximately \$41,279,000. The governmental activities comprise approximately \$12,441,000, up from \$11,700,000, while the business-type activities, the Sewer Fund and Water System Fund, make up approximately \$28,838,000, an increase of I percent from a year ago.

Unrestricted net assets - the part of net assets that can be used to finance day-to-day operations - are approximately \$6,483,000 for the governmental activities. Unrestricted net assets for the business-type activities are approximately \$11,622,000.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

The following table shows the changes of the net assets during the 2006 and 2005 (in thousands of dollars).

•	Governmental			Business-type								
		Activ	vitie	s		Acti	vitie	S		To	tal	
	2006 2005			2006 2005			2006		2005			
Revenue												
Program revenue:												
Charges for services	\$	838	\$	1,138	\$	1,292	\$	1,067	\$	2,130	\$	2,205
Operating grants and contributions		17		33		341		527		358		560
Capital grants and contributions		45 I		240		562		581		1,013		821
General revenue:												
Property taxes		3,004		2,746		-		-		3,004		2,746
State-shared revenue		1,408		1,424		-		-		1,408		1,424
Unrestricted investment earnings	140			120		939		920		1,079		1,040
Franchise fees	191			180		-	-			191		180
Gain on sale of capital asset		7		19	_		_		_	7		19
Total revenue		6,056		5,900		3,134		3,095		9,190		8,995
Program Expenses												
General government		1,624		1,575		-		-		1,624		1,575
Public safety		2,773		2,672		-		-		2,773		2,672
Public works		400		852		-		-		400		852
Recreation and culture		281		304		-		-		281		304
Interest on long-term debt		238		262		-		-		238		262
Water and sewer						2,843		2,845		2,843		2,845
Total program expenses		5,316		5,665	_	2,843		2,845		8,159		8,510
Change in Net Assets		740	\$	235	\$	292	\$	250	\$	1,032	\$	485

Governmental Activities

The Township's total governmental revenues totaled \$6.2 million, with state revenue sharing representing \$1.4 million, or 23 percent. Although the State has acted to stabilize levels of revenue sharing for 2007, the State's ongoing financial difficulties will continue to be a concern during the upcoming year.

Expenses for the fiscal year were approximately \$5,316,000. Increases in health care costs, legal costs, property insurance rates, and legal liability insurance premiums continued to create a budget challenge. To offset this, the Township closely monitored its spending in all other areas, resulting in a net increase in the net assets of approximately \$740,000.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

Business-type Activities

The Township's business-type activities consist of the Sewer Fund and the Water System Fund. We provide sewage treatment through a Township owned and operated sewage treatment plant, as well as through the use of a plant owned and operated by a neighboring community. The Township anticipates building Phase I of its municipal water delivery service in 2007, using a Special Assessment District to arrange the financing. The water district will include mostly businesses and perhaps a few residential properties.

The Township's Funds

Our analysis of the Township's major funds follows the government-wide financial statements. The fund financial statements provide detail information about the most significant funds, not the Township as a whole. The Township board creates funds to help manage money for specific purposes as well as to show accountability for certain activities, such as special property tax millages. The Township's major funds for 2005-2006 include the General Fund, the Police Special Revenue Fund, the Fire Special Revenue Fund, the Capital Improvement Building Debt Service Fund, and the Tamarack Lake Sewer Debt Service Fund.

The General Fund pays for most of the Township's governmental services. The most significant is police, which depended on the General Fund for approximately \$727,000 for the year ended June 30, 2006. Both the police and fire services are also supported by a police and fire millage, which is recorded in the Police Special Revenue Fund and the Fire Special Revenue Fund.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Over the course of the year, the Township amended the budget to take into account events during the year. However, no significant changes to the budget were made.

Capital Asset and Debt Administration

At the end of fiscal year 2006, the Township had \$36,925,000 invested in a broad range of capital assets, including buildings, police and fire equipment, and sewer lines. In addition, the Township has approximately \$3,070,000 and \$1,934,000 invested in the Portage - Base Lakes Water and Sewer Authority and the Livingston Community Water Authority, respectively.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates

The Township's budget for next year will need to be watched very closely once again, especially relating to the General Fund. This needs to be done since revenue sharing is a very big concern for the Township. The State of Michigan is experiencing significant budgeting problems, and as they look for solutions, revenue sharing continues to be under attack. However, to the extent there is continued growth in the community, the increase in property tax revenues will assist the Township's budget.

Contacting the Township's Management

This financial report is intended to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, and investors with a general overview of the Township's finances and to show the Township's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional information, we welcome you to contact the clerk's office at (810) 231-1000.

Statement of Net Assets June 30, 2006

		Pr						
	Go	overnmental	Business-type				С	omponent
		Activities		Activities		Total	Ur	nit - Library
Assets								
Cash and investments (Note 2)	\$	4,074,867	\$	58,139	\$	4,133,006	\$	1,454,401
Cash restricted for capital (Note 11)	Ψ	1,07 1,007	Ψ	8,312,222	Ψ	8,312,222	Ψ	-
Receivables:				0,512,222		0,512,222		
Customers and other		35,730		352,911		388,641		13,416
Special assessments		388,632		332,711		388,632		15,110
Internal balances		631,358		(631,358)		-		_
Due from other governmental units		250,515		(031,330)		250,515		- 7,478
Inventories		250,515		313,986		313,986		7,470
Other assets		73,334		30,519		103,853		- 2,484
		73,334		1,334,347		1,334,347		2,707
Restricted assets (Note 2)		-		1,337,377		1,334,347		-
Assets restricted for capital and debt (Note 11): Current				1,446,242		1,446,242		
Noncurrent		-		9,392,711		9,392,711		-
		2 040 420						-
Investment in joint venture (Note 9)		3,069,629		1,933,919		5,003,548		-
Capital assets - Net (Note 5):		E07 3/0		2 207 400		2 002 7/7		
Nondepreciated		597,268		2,296,499		2,893,767		- 75 272
Depreciated		8,141,310	_	25,890,111	_	34,031,421		75,373
Total assets		17,262,643		50,730,248		67,992,891		1,553,152
Liabilities								
Accounts payable		112,270		219,549		331,819		8,123
Accrued and other liabilities		185,963		718,008		903,971		5,777
Noncurrent liabilities (Note 6):								
Due within one year		1,004,599		1,237,339		2,241,938		-
Due in more than one year		3,519,214		19,717,178		23,236,392		17,656
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Total liabilities		4,822,046		21,892,074	_	26,714,120		31,556
Net Assets								
Invested in capital assets - Net of								
related debt		4,549,186		8,903,654		13,452,840		75,373
Restricted:		, ,		, ,		, ,		,
Police and fire		890,569		_		890,569		_
Debt service		307,071		_		307,071		_
Capital projects		160,223		8,312,222		8,472,445		_
Cemetery expenditures		50,444		-, -,		50,444		_
Unrestricted		6,483,104		11,622,298		18,105,402		1,446,223
Total net assets	<u>\$</u>	12,440,597	<u>\$</u>	28,838,174	<u>\$</u>	41,278,771	<u>\$</u>	1,521,596

		Program Revenues							
				Ope	rating Grants	s Capital Grants			
		(Charges for and				and		
	 Expenses		Services	Contributions			ontributions		
Functions/Programs									
Primary government:									
Governmental activities:									
General government	\$ 1,623,588	\$	693,598	\$	16,150	\$	-		
Public safety	2,772,980		63,172		662		450,709		
Public works	400,447		59,641		-		-		
Recreation and culture	281,055		22,653		-		-		
Interest on long-term debt	 237,512		-						
Total governmental activities	5,315,582		839,064		16,812		450,709		
Business-type activity - Sewer	 2,841,124		1,290,436				902,884		
Total primary government	\$ 8,156,706	\$	2,129,500	<u>\$</u>	16,812	\$	1,353,593		
Component unit - Library	\$ 550,343	\$	26,460	\$	98,096	\$			

General revenues:

Property taxes

State-shared revenues

Unrestricted investment earnings

Franchise fees

Special item - Gain on sale of capital assets

Total general revenues and special item

Change in Net Assets

Net Assets - Beginning of year

Net Assets - End of year

Statement of Activities Year Ended June 30, 2006

	P	rimary Governmer	nt	<u> </u>					
G	overnmental	Business-type			Component				
	Activities	Activity - Sewer		Total	Unit - Library				
\$	(913,840)	\$ -	\$	(913,840)	\$ -				
	(2,258,437) (340,806)	-		(2,258,437) (340,806)	-				
	(258,402)	-		(258,402)	_				
	(237,512)	_		(237,512)	_				
	(207,012)			(207,012)					
	(4,008,997)	-		(4,008,997)	-				
		(647,804)		(647,804)					
	(4,008,997)	(647,804)		(4,656,801)	-				
	-	-		-	(425,787)				
	3,003,889	-		3,003,889	410,807				
	1,407,846	-		1,407,846	14,900				
	139,877	939,350		1,079,227	46,194				
	191,316	-		191,316	-				
	6,500		_	6,500					
	4,749,428	939,350		5,688,778	471,901				
	740,431	291,546		1,031,977	46,114				
	11,700,166	28,546,628		40,246,794	1,475,482				
\$	12,440,597	\$ 28,838,174	\$	41,278,771	<u>\$ 1,521,596</u>				

Governmental Funds Balance Sheet June 30, 2006

								Capital Improvement		Tamarack Lake		Other Ionmajor	Total	
			Poli	ce Special	Fi	re Special	Building Debt		Sewer Debt		Governmental		G	overnmental
	Ge	eneral Fund	Rev	enue Fund	Rev	enue Fund	Service Fund		Service Fund		Funds			Funds
Assets														
Cash and investments (Note 2)	\$	2,040,508	\$	262	\$	776,295	\$	92,824	\$	214,247	\$	950,731	\$	4,074,867
Accounts receivable:														
Customers and other		21,706		-		14,024		-		-		-		35,730
Special assessments		-		-		-		-		307,398		81,234		388,632
Due from other governmental units		250,515		-		-		-		-		-		250,515
Due from other funds (Note 4)		409,239		26,478		-		-		-		19,020		454,737
Advances to other funds (Note 4)		275,493		-		-		-		-		-		275,493
Other assets	_	17,121		37,983	_	18,230			_				_	73,334
Total assets	\$	3,014,582	\$	64,723	\$	808,549	<u>\$</u>	92,824	\$	521,645	\$	1,050,985	\$	5,553,308
Liabilities and Fund Balances														
Liabilities														
Accounts payable	\$	60,799	\$	14,852	\$	16,823	\$	-	\$	-	\$	19,796	\$	112,270
Due to other funds (Note 4)		2,550		37,000		-		-		-		59,322		98,872
Accrued and other liabilities		89,170		11,965		41,601		-		-		-		142,736
Deferred revenue (Note 3)									_	307,398		81,234	_	388,632
Total liabilities		152,519		63,817		58,424		-		307,398		160,352		742,510
Fund Balances														
Reserved in Permanent Fund - Cemetery Perpetual														
Care - Future cemetery expenditures		-		-		-		-		-		50,444		50,444
Reserved for long-term receivable		275,493		-		-		-		-		-		275,493
Unreserved, reported in:														
General Fund:														
Designated for fire station repairs		20,000		-		-		-		-		-		20,000
Designated for recreation plan		24,128		-		-		-		-		-		24,128
Undesignated		2,542,442		-		-		-		-		-		2,542,442
Special Revenue Funds:														
Designated for fire station repairs		-		-		25,445		-		-		-		25,445
Undesignated		-		906		724,680		-		-		679,966		1,405,552
Debt Service Funds		-		-		-		92,824		214,247		-		307,071
Capital Project Funds	_				_				_			160,223	_	160,223
Total fund balances		2,862,063		906	_	750,125	_	92,824	_	214,247		890,633		4,810,798
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	3,014,582	\$	64,723	\$	808,549	\$	92,824	\$	521,645	\$	1,050,985	\$	5,553,308

Governmental Funds Reconciliation of Fund Balances to the Statement of Net Assets Year Ended June 30, 2006

Total Fund Balances of Governmental Activities	\$	4,810,798
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because:		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and are not reported in the funds		8,738,578
Special assessment receivables are expected to be collected over several years and are not available to pay for current year expenditures		388,632
Investment in joint venture is not a financial resource and is not reported in the funds		3,069,629
Long-term liabilities, including compensated absences, are not due and payable in the current period and are not reported in the funds		(4,523,813)
Interest amounts on long-term liabilities are not payable until due in the funds		(43,227)
Net Assets of Governmental Activities	\$ I	2,440,597

Governmental Funds Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances Year Ended June 30, 2006

				Capital Improvement	Tamarack Lake	Other Nonmajor	Total	
		Police Special	Fire Special	Building Debt	Sewer Debt	Governmental	Governmental	
	General Fund	Revenue Fund Revenue Fund S		Service Fund	Service Fund	Funds	Funds	
Revenue								
Property taxes	\$ 785.305	\$ 859.282	\$ 821,940	\$ 537.362	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,003,889	
Special assessments	-	-	-	-	49,340	59.641	108,981	
Licenses and permits	225,995	_	-	-	-	-	225,995	
State sources	1,420,993	-	-	-	-	_	1,420,993	
Charges for services	647,018	11,330	_	_	_	1,548	659,896	
Fines and forfeitures	-	26,938	-	-	-	450,709	477,647	
Interest and other	104,474	14,090	34,409	1,858	6,444	23,511	184,786	
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	<u> </u>		6,600				6,600	
Total revenue	3,183,785	911,640	862,949	539,220	55,784	535,409	6,088,787	
Expenditures								
Legislative	112,445	-	-	-	-	-	112,445	
General government	1,466,629	-	_	_	-	-	1,466,629	
Public safety	297,397	1,787,444	569,161	_	-	13,739	2,667,741	
Public works	228,115	_	_	_	-	90,967	319,082	
Health and welfare	67,922	-	-	-	-	_	67,922	
Recreation and culture	38,821	-	_	-	-	_	38,821	
Debt service	-	-	-	996,054	60,445	9,530	1,066,029	
Capital outlay						116,240	116,240	
Total expenditures	2,211,329	1,787,444	569,161	996,054	60,445	230,476	5,854,909	
Excess of Revenue Over (Under) Expenditures	972,456	(875,804)	293,788	(456,834)	(4,661)	304,933	233,878	
Other Financing Sources (Uses)								
Proceeds from long-term debt issue	10,682	-	-	-	-	_	10,682	
Transfers in (Note 4)	-	1,034,501	_	493,654	-	38,076	1,566,231	
Transfers out (Note 4)	(889,154)	(157,969)	(182,652)			(336,456)	(1,566,231)	
Total other financing sources (uses)	(878,472)	876,532	(182,652)	493,654		(298,380)	10,682	
Net Change in Fund Balances	93,984	728	111,136	36,820	(4,661)	6,553	244,560	
Fund Balances - Beginning of year	2,768,079	178	638,989	56,004	218,908	884,080	4,566,238	
Fund Balances - End of year	\$ 2,862,063	\$ 906	\$ 750,125	\$ 92,824	\$ 214,247	\$ 890,633	\$ 4,810,798	

Governmental Funds

Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities Year Ended June 30, 2006

Net Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds	\$	244,560
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures; in the statement of activities, these costs are allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation: Capital outlay Depreciation expense		290,580 (618,534)
Special assessment revenues are recorded in the statement of activities when the assessment is set; they are not reported in the funds until collected or collectible within 60 days of year end		(32,774)
Equity interest in joint venture is not reported in governmental funds		(50,033)
Repayment of long-term debt is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but not in the statement of activities (where it reduces long-term debt)		907,705
Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt are reported as financing sources on the statement of activities		(10,682)
Change in accumulated employee sick and vacation pay is recorded when earned in the statement of activities		174
Accrued interest payable is recorded when due in governmental funds		9,435
Change in Net Assets of Governmental Activities	<u>\$</u>	740,431

Proprietary Funds - Enterprise Funds Statement of Net Assets June 30, 2006

	Water System		
	Sewer Fund	Fund	Total
A			
Assets Current assets:			
Cash and investments (Note 2)	\$ 57,116	\$ 1,023	\$ 58,139
Cash restricted for capital (Note 11)	8,312,222	φ 1,025	8,312,222
Customers and other	352,911	_	352,911
Due from other funds (Note 4)	14,649	_	14,649
Inventories	313,986	_	313,986
Current portion of assets restricted for capital and debt (Note 11)	1,446,242	_	1,446,242
Other assets	30,519		30,519
Total current assets	10,527,645	1,023	10,528,668
Noncurrent assets:			
Restricted assets (Note 2)	1,334,347	-	1,334,347
Assets restricted for capital and debt - Net of current portion (Note 11)	9,392,711	-	9,392,711
Investment in joint venture (Note 9)	-	1,933,919	1,933,919
Capital assets - Net (Note 5):			
Nondepreciated	1,980,948	315,551	2,296,499
Depreciated	25,890,111		25,890,111
Total noncurrent assets	38,598,117	2,249,470	40,847,587
Total assets	49,125,762	2,250,493	51,376,255
Liabilities			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable	219,549	-	219,549
Due to other funds (Note 4)	370,514	-	370,514
Accrued and other liabilities	718,008	-	718,008
Current portion of long-term debt (Note 6)	1,212,339	25,000	1,237,339
Total current liabilities	2,520,410	25,000	2,545,410
Noncurrent Liabilities			
Advances from other funds (Note 4)	-	275,493	275,493
Long-term debt - Net of current portion (Note 6)	17,767,178	1,950,000	19,717,178
Total noncurrent liabilities	17,767,178	2,225,493	19,992,671
Total liabilities	20,287,588	2,250,493	22,538,081
Net Assets	0.002 /= /		0.002.454
Investment in capital assets - Net of related debt	8,903,654	-	8,903,654
Restricted for capital projects	8,312,222	-	8,312,222
Unrestricted	11,622,298		11,622,298
Total net assets	\$ 28,838,174	<u> - </u>	\$ 28,838,174

Proprietary Funds - Enterprise Funds Statement of Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets Year Ended June 30, 2006

			Wate	r System		
	Sewer Fund		Sewer Fund Fund		-	Total
Operating Revenue						
Sewage disposal charges	\$	748,242	\$	-	\$	748,242
Debt service charges and other		542,194				542,194
Total operating revenue		1,290,436		-		1,290,436
Operating Expenses						
Operation and maintenance		1,252,339		-		1,252,339
Depreciation		677,903				677,903
Total operating expenses		1,930,242				1,930,242
Operating Loss		(639,806)		-		(639,806)
Nonoperating Revenue (Expense)						
Investment income		939,350		-		939,350
Interest expense		(910,882)				(910,882)
Total nonoperating revenue		28,468				28,468
Loss - Before contributions		(611,338)		-		(611,338)
Capital Contributions		902,884				902,884
Change in Net Assets		291,546		-		291,546
Net Assets - Beginning of year		28,546,628				28,546,628
Net Assets - End of year	\$	28,838,174	\$	-	\$	28,838,174

Proprietary Funds - Enterprise Funds Statement of Cash Flows Year Ended June 30, 2006

	Sewer Fund	Fund	Total
Cash Flows from Operating Activities			
Receipts from customers	\$ 695,006	\$ -	\$ 695,006
Payments to suppliers	(667,243)	-	(667,243)
Payments to employees	(435,303)	_	(435,303)
Other receipts	359,017	_	359,017
Interfund activity related to operating activities	(166,402)	-	(166,402)
Net cash used in operating activities	(214,925)	-	(214,925)
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities			
Principal and interest paid on long-term debt	(2,143,861)	_	(2,143,861)
Transfer of joint venture investment to the water system fund, net of related debt	(41,081)	41,081	-
Purchase of capital assets	(2,071,887)	(315,551)	(2,387,438)
Collection from developers for the construction of new sewer lines	561,562	(0.0,00.)	561,562
Connection fees	341,322	_	341,322
Collection of principal and interest on customer assessments	1,708,064	_	1,708,064
Interfund activity related to capital items		275,493	275,493
Net cash provided by (used in) capital and related financing activities	(1,645,881)	1,023	(1,644,858)
Cash Flows from Investing Activities - Interest received on cash and cash equivalents	270,946		270,946
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(1,589,860)	1,023	(1,588,837)
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of year	11,293,545		11,293,545
Cash and Cash Equivalents - End of year	\$ 9,703,685	\$ 1,023	\$ 9,704,708
Balance Sheet Classification of Cash and Cash Equivalents			
Cash and investments	\$ 57,116	\$ 1,023	\$ 58,139
Restricted cash and cash equivalents resulting from bond sale	1,334,347	-	1,334,347
Segregated bank deposits and investments for future capital investments	1,777,147	-	1,777,147
Segregated bank deposits and investments resulting from special assessments	6,535,075		6,535,075
Total cash and cash equivalents	\$ 9,703,685	\$ 1,023	\$ 9,704,708
Reconciliation of Operating Loss to Net Cash from Operating			
Activities			
Operating loss	\$ (639,806)	\$ -	\$ (639,806)
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash from operating activities:			
Depreciation and amortization	677,903	=	677,903
Changes in assets and liabilities:			
Receivables	(53,236)	=	(53,236)
Accounts payable	(26,089)	-	(26,089)
Accrued and other liabilities	5,325	-	5,325
Due to other funds	(179,022)		(179,022)
Net cash used in operating activities	<u>\$ (214,925)</u>	<u> </u>	\$ (214,925)

Fiduciary Fund - Agency Fund Statement of Fiduciary Assets and Liabilities June 30, 2006

Assets - Cash and investments (Note 2)	<u>\$</u>	98,597
Liabilities		
Due to other governmental units	\$	2,009
Other liabilities:		
Performance bonds		84,011
Other		12,577
Total liabilities	\$	98,597

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies of the Township of Hamburg (the "Township") conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies used by the Township of Hamburg:

Reporting Entity

The Township is governed by an elected seven-member board of trustees. As required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, these financial statements present the Township of Hamburg and its component unit. The individual component unit discussed below is included in the Township's reporting entity because of the significance of its operational or financial relationship with the Township.

The Hamburg Township Library (the "Library") is reported within the component unit column in the combined financial statements. It is reported in a separate column to emphasize that it is accounted for separate from the Township. The Library was created to provide library services, including book loans, to Township residents. The Library's governing body, which consists of six individuals, is elected by Township residents. The Library itself is not a separately incorporated fiscal entity.

Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net assets and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the primary government and its component unit. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, normally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from the business-type activities, which relies to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. Likewise, the primary government is reported separately from the legally separate component unit for which the primary government is financially accountable.

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Program revenues include: (I) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenue.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds, the proprietary fund, and the fiduciary fund, even though the latter is excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds and the major Enterprise Fund are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized as soon as it is both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the Township considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period, including state-shared revenue. Conversely, special assessments and federal grant reimbursements will be collected after the period of availability; receivables have been recorded for these, along with a "deferred revenue" liability.

Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, expenditures relating to compensated absences, and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

The Township reports the following major governmental funds:

The General Fund is the Township's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

The Police and Fire Funds are full-service departments whose main source of revenue comes from voter-approved millages on all real property. The funds provide safety, fire suppression, fire prevention, and emergency medical services in the Township.

The Capital Improvement Building Debt Service Fund is a debt service fund whose main source of revenue comes from a voter-approved millage and operating transfers from various Township funds.

The Tamarack Lake Sewer Debt Service Fund is a debt service fund whose main source of revenue comes from a special assessment.

The Township reports the Sewer Fund as its major proprietary fund. This fund accounts for the results of operations that provide sewer services to citizens, and is financed primarily by a user charge for the provision of those services.

The Township also reports the Water System Fund as a major proprietary fund. This fund accounts for the construction and results of operations that are associated with the development of a water system. The fund is currently financed through the issuance of debt, which will be ultimately paid by a user charge for the provision of water distribution services.

Additionally, the Township reports an Agency Fund. The Agency Fund accounts for assets held by the Township in a trustee capacity. Agency Funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve the measurement of results of operations.

Private sector standards of accounting issued prior to December 1, 1989 are generally followed in both the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements to the extent that those standards do not conflict with the standards of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. The Township has elected not to follow private sector standards issued after November 30, 1989 for its business-type activities.

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements. Exception to this general rule relates to charges between the Township's sewer function and various other functions of the Township. Eliminations of these charges would distort the direct costs and program revenues reported for the various functions concerned.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenue and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenue and expenses generally result from providing services in connection with proprietary funds' principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenue of the proprietary Sewer Fund relates to charges to customers for sewer services. The Sewer Fund also recognizes the portion of tap fees intended to recover current costs (e.g., labor and materials to hook up new customers) as operating revenue. The portion intended to recover the cost of the infrastructure is recognized as nonoperating revenue. Operating expenses for the proprietary fund include the cost of services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenue and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenue and expenses.

Property Tax Revenue

The taxable valuation of the Township totaled approximately \$920 million. Property taxes are levied on each December I on the valuation of property as of the preceding December 31. Taxes are considered delinquent on March I of the following year, at which time penalties and interest are assessed and liens issued.

The Township's approximate property tax levy for the year ended June 30, 2006 was as follows:

	Millage Rate	Levy
Operating	0.8536	\$ 785,000
Police	0.9343	859,000
Fire	0.8937	822,000
Library debt	0.5843	 537,000
Total	3.2659	\$ 3,003,000

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Equity

Bank Deposits and Investments - Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with a maturity of three months or less when acquired.

Receivables and Payables - In general, outstanding balances between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds." Activity between funds that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year is referred to as "advances to/from other funds." Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and the business-type activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as "internal balances."

All trade and property tax receivables are shown as net of allowance for uncollectible amounts.

Inventory - Inventory in the Enterprise Funds is valued at cost, on a first-in, first-out basis, which approximates market value.

Restricted Assets - Restricted assets in the Sewer Fund consist of cash and cash equivalents restricted for debt payments.

Capital Assets - Capital assets, which include property, plant, and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the Township as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$2,500 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year for non-computer related assets and \$500 for computer equipment. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

Buildings, equipment, and vehicles are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Governmental activities:

Buildings and improvements	10-50 years
Machinery and tools	5-10 years
Vehicles, boats, and related equipment	3-7 years
Office furnishings and equipment	3-10 years
Business-type activities:	
Utility system	10-50 years
Treatment plant	7-50 years
Equipment	3-25 years

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Compensated Absences - It is the Township's policy to permit employees to accumulate earned but unused sick and vacation pay benefits. All vacation pay is accrued when incurred in the government-wide and proprietary financial statements. A liability for these amounts is reported in governmental funds only for employee terminations as of year end.

Long-term Obligations - In the government-wide financial statements and the proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund-type statement of net assets. Bond premiums and discounts, as well as issuance costs, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Bond issuance costs are reported as deferred charges and amortized over the term of the related debt. In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond premiums and discounts, as well as bond issuance costs, during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs are reported as debt service expenditures.

Fund Equity - In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

Use of Estimates - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Other accounting policies are disclosed in other notes to financial statements.

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 2 - Deposits and Investments

Michigan Compiled Laws Section 129.91 (Public Act 20 of 1943, as amended) authorizes local governmental units to make deposits and invest in the accounts of federally insured banks, credit unions, and savings and loan associations. The local unit is allowed to invest in bonds, securities, and other direct obligations of the United States or any agency or instrumentality of the United States; repurchase agreements; bankers' acceptances of United States banks; commercial paper rated within the two highest classifications, which matures not more than 270 days after the date of purchase; obligations of the State of Michigan or its political subdivisions, which are rated as investment grade; and mutual funds composed of investment vehicles that are legal for direct investment by local units of government in Michigan.

The Township has designated five banks for the deposit of its funds. The investment policy adopted by the board in accordance with Public Act 196 of 1997 has authorized investment in all of the above-mentioned investment vehicles.

The Township's cash and investments are subject to several types of risk, which are examined in more detail below:

Custodial Credit Risk of Bank Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the Township's deposits may not be returned to it. The Township does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. At year end, the Township had \$11,451,000 of bank deposits (certificates of deposit, checking, and savings accounts) that were uninsured and uncollateralized. The Township believes that due to the dollar amounts of cash deposits and the limits of FDIC insurance, it is impractical to insure all deposits. As a result, the Township evaluates each financial institution with which it deposits funds and assesses the level of risk of each institution; only those institutions with an acceptable estimated risk level are used as depositories.

Custodial Credit Risk of Investments

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the Township will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The Township does not have a policy for custodial credit risk. At year end, the Township held its uninsured and unregistered investments in U.S. agency bonds and notes held by a counterparty with a carrying value of \$1,668,455.

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 2 - Deposits and Investments (Continued)

Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of investments will decrease as a result of a rise in interest rates. The Township's investment policy does not restrict investment maturities, other than commercial paper which can only be purchased with a 270-day maturity. At year end, the weighted average maturities of investments with a carrying value of \$1,668,455 are 36.2 months.

Credit Risk

State law limits investments in commercial paper to the top two ratings issued by nationally recognized statistical rating organizations. The Township has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices. As of year end, the credit quality ratings of the securities held by the Township totaling approximately \$1,668,000 in U.S. agency bonds and notes are AAA.

Concentration of Credit Risk

The Township places no limit on the amount the Township may invest in any one issuer. There were no investments held by the Township with a 5 percent or more balance of total investments at year end.

Component Unit

As of June 30, 2006, the Library's book balance of its deposits and investments was \$1,454,076; the total book balance was \$1,454,401, due to \$325 in petty cash. The bank balance was \$1,457,943, all of which was exposed to custodial credit risk, as the entire balance is uninsured and uncollateralized.

Credit Risk

State law limits investments in commercial paper, corporate bonds, and mutual funds to the top two ratings issued by nationally recognized statistical rating organizations. The Library has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices.

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 2 - Deposits and Investments (Continued)

Interest Rate Risk

The Library does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

Concentration of Credit Risk

The Library's investment policy places no limit on the amount the Library may invest in any one issuer.

Note 3 - Deferred Revenue

On the fund-based statements, governmental funds report deferred revenue in connection with receivables for revenue that is not considered to be available to liquidate liabilities of the current period. Governmental funds also defer revenue recognition in connection with resources that have been received but not yet earned. The proprietary fund reports deferred revenue only for amounts which are not yet earned. At the end of the current fiscal year, deferred revenue consists solely of special assessments in the governmental funds, which are unavailable as of June 30, 2006.

Note 4 - Interfund Receivables, Payables, Advances, and Transfers

The composition of interfund balances is as follows:

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	 Amount
General Fund	Police Fund Sewer Fund	\$ 37,000 370,514
	Other nonmajor governmental funds	 1,725
Total General Fund		409,239
Police Fund	Other nonmajor governmental funds	26,478
Other nonmajor governmental funds	General Fund Other nonmajor governmental	2,550
	funds	 16,470
Total other nonmajor governmental funds		19,020
Sewer Fund	Other nonmajor governmental funds	 14,649
Total		\$ 469,386

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 4 - Interfund Receivables, Payables, Advances, and Transfers (Continued)

These balances result from the time lag between the dates that goods and services are provided or reimbursable expenditures occur, transactions are recorded in the accounting system, and payments between funds are made.

Interfund advances reported in the fund financial statements are related to the purchase of the water system assets and payment of the related debt. The advance is due from the Water System Fund to the General Fund, with payment due once the system generates revenues from the user charge for the provision of water services.

Interfund transfers reported in the fund financial statements are comprised of the following:

Fund Providing Resources	Fund Receiving Resources	 Amount
General Fund	Police Fund (2) Capital Improvement Building Debt (3) Other nonmajor governmental	\$ 727,437 153,033
	funds (I)	 8,684
Total General Fund		889,154
Fire Fund	Capital Improvement Building Debt (3)	182,652
Police Fund	Capital Improvement Building Debt (3)	157,969
Other nonmajor governmental funds	Police Fund (1) (2) Other nonmajor governmental	307,064
	funds (I)	 29,392
Total nonmajor governmental funds		 336,456
Total		\$ 1,566,231

- (I) Transfer for capital improvements
- (2) Transfers for general operations
- (3) Transfers for debt service

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 5 - Capital Assets

Capital asset activity of the Township's governmental and business-type activities was as follows:

	Balance July 1, 2005	Additions	Disposals and Adjustments	Balance June 30, 2006
Governmental Activities				
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 489,952	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 489,952
Construction in progress	45,749	61,567		107,316
Subtotal	535,701	61,567	-	597,268
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Buildings and improvements	9,295,779	50,602	-	9,346,381
Machinery and tools	407,994	28,856	-	436,850
Vehicles, boats, and related equipment	937,603	96,789		1,034,392
Office furnishings and equipment	850,961	52,766	59,826	843,901
Subtotal	11,492,337	229,013	59,826	11,661,524
Accumulated depreciation:				
Buildings and improvements	1,780,799	284,770	-	2,065,569
Machinery and tools	166,961	58,317	-	225,278
Vehicles, boats, and related equipment	539,362	166,813	-	706,175
Office furnishings and equipment	474,384	108,634	59,826	523,192
Subtotal	2,961,506	618,534	59,826	3,520,214
Net capital assets being depreciated	8,530,831	(389,521)		8,141,310
Net capital assets	\$ 9,066,532	\$ (327,954)	\$ -	\$ 8,738,578

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 5 - Capital Assets (Continued)

	Balance			Balance
	July 1, 2005	Reclassifications	Additions	June 30, 2006
Business-type Activities				
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 1,303,361	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,303,361
Construction in progress	1,384,770	(1,236,281)	844,649	993,138
Subtotal	2,688,131	(1,236,281)	844,649	2,296,499
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Utility system	22,502,151	1,236,281	673,448	24,411,880
Treatment plant	4,453,607	-	12,979	4,466,586
Equipment	2,599,707		542,260	3,141,967
Subtotal	29,555,465	1,236,281	1,228,687	32,020,433
Accumulated depreciation:				
Utility system	4,519,453	-	452,640	4,972,093
Treatment plant	475,422	-	93,224	568,646
Equipment	457,544		132,039	589,583
Subtotal	5,452,419		677,903	6,130,322
Net capital assets being depreciated	24,103,046	1,236,281	550,784	25,890,111
Net capital assets	\$ 26,791,177	<u> - </u>	\$ 1,395,433	\$ 28,186,610

Capital asset activity for the Township's component units for the year was as follows:

	Ва	alance			Dispo	sals and	Е	Balance
	July	1, 2005	A	dditions	Adjus	stments	June	30, 2006
Component Unit - Library								
Capital assets being depreciated:								
Buildings and improvements	\$	24,603	\$	5,800	\$	-	\$	30,403
Computer equipment		32,620		29,526		-		62,146
Subtotal		57,223		35,326		-		92,549
Accumulated depreciation		4,059		13,117				17,176
Net capital assets	\$	53,164	\$	22,209	\$	-	\$	75,373

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 5 - Capital Assets (Continued)

Depreciation expense was charged to programs of the Township as follows:

Governmental activities:

General government	\$ 94,726
Public safety	322,863
Public works	8,952
Recreation and culture	 191,993
Total governmental activities	\$ 618,534

Note 6 - Long-term Debt

The Township issues bonds to provide for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities. General obligation bonds are direct obligations and pledge the full faith and credit of the Township. Installment purchase agreements are also general obligations of the government. Special assessment bonds provide for capital improvements that benefit specific properties and will be repaid from amounts levied against those properties benefited from the construction. In the event that a deficiency exists because of unpaid or delinquent special assessments at the time a debt service payment is due, the Township is obligated to provide resources to cover the deficiency until other resources (such as tax sale proceeds or a reassessment of the district) are received. Revenue bonds involve a pledge of specific income derived from the acquired or constructed assets to pay debt service.

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 6 - Long-term Debt (Continued)

Long-term obligation activity can be summarized as follows:

	Interest	Principal								
	Rate	Maturity	rity Beginning							Oue Within
	Ranges	Ranges		Balance	Additions	Reductions	Ending Balance		One Year	
Governmental Activities										
General obligation bonds										
Amount of issue - \$3,450,000		\$400,000 -								
Maturing through 2010	4.625%-4.70%	\$500,000	\$	2,200,000	\$ -	\$ (400,000)	\$	1,800,000	\$	400,000
Installment purchase agreements										
Amount of issue - \$328,077		\$344 -								
Maturing through 2009	4.49%-10.45%	\$24,689		79,762	10,682	(59,448)		30,996		24,689
Special assessment bonds:										
1997 Limited Tax G.O.										
Amount of issue - \$710,000		\$35,000 -								
Maturing through 2017	4.80%- 5.50%	\$45,000		485,000	-	(35,000)		450,000		35,000
2004 Special Assessment										
Amount of issue - \$5,660,000										
Portion related to governmental										
activities - \$95,755		\$4,652 -								
Maturing through 2023	3.50%-4.65%	\$5,499		90,256	-	(5,492)		84,764		5,499
Note payable - Construction										
installment note										
Amount of issue - \$3,800,000		\$26,147 -								
Maturing through 2010	5.25%-5.75%	\$455,954		2,096,730	-	(388,527)		1,708,203		409,814
Michigan Transportation Fund Note										
Amount of issue - \$192,382										
Maturing through 2012	4.125%-4.35%	\$19,238		134,667		(19,238)		115,429	_	19,238
Total bonds, installment										
obligations, and notes				5,086,415	10,682	(907,705)		4,189,392		894,240
Compensated absences	N/A	N/A		334,595	334,421	(334,595)		334,421		110,359
Total governmental activities			\$	5,421,010	\$ 345,103	\$ (1,242,300)	\$	4,523,813	\$	1,004,599

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 6 - Long-term Debt (Continued)

	Interest	Principal	⁹ rincipal								
	Rate	Maturity	Beginning								Due Within
	Ranges	Ranges	Balance		A	Additions Reduction		Ending Balance		One Year	
Business-type Activity - Sewer											
Special assessment bonds:											
1992 Limited Tax G.O.											
Amount of issue - \$1,590,000		\$85,000 -									
Maturing through 2012	2.00%	\$90,000	\$	605,000	\$	-	\$ (85,000)	\$	520,000	\$	85,000
1998 Series 1998											
Amount of issue - \$430,000		\$20,000 -									
Maturing through 2018	4.25%-5.00%	\$25,000		290,000		-	(25,000)		265,000		25,000
1999 Series 1999											
Amount of issue - \$4,580,000		\$285,000 -									
Maturing through 2014	4.80%-5.25%	\$320,000		2,710,000		-	(285,000)		2,425,000		285,000
2001 Series 2001											
Amount of issue - \$6,575,000		\$300,000 -									
Maturing through 2021	4.30%-6.50%	\$450,000		5,900,000		-	(300,000)		5,600,000		300,000
2004 Special Assessment											
Amount of issue - \$5,660,000											
Portion related to business-type											
activity - \$5,564,245		\$270,348 -									
Maturing through 2023	3.50%-4.65%	\$319,501		5,244,743		-	(319,501)		4,925,242		319,501
Revenue bonds:											
1997 Wastewater Treatment Plant											
Amount of issue - \$5,225,000		\$125,000 -									
Maturing through 2027	5.50%-5.60%	\$325,000		4,800,000		-	(100,000)		4,700,000		125,000
2002 Water System Project							, ,				
Amount of issue - \$2,000,000		\$25,000 -									
Maturing through 2032	4.50%-5.00%	\$125,000		2,000,000		-	(25,000)		1,975,000		25,000
Installment purchase agreements							, ,				
Amount of issue - \$736,629		\$68,841 -									
Maturing through 2013	3.25%	\$83,621	_	598,808	_		(66,645)	_	532,163	_	68,841
Total bonds and installment											
purchase agreements				22,148,551		-	(1,206,146)		20,942,405		1,233,342
Compensated absences	N/A	N/A				12,112			12,112		3,997
Total governmental activities			\$	22,148,551	\$	12,112	\$ (1,206,146)	\$	20,954,517	\$	1,237,339

Annual debt service requirements to maturity for the above bonds and note obligations are as follows:

		Governmental Activities						Business-type Activity - Sewer							
		Principal		Interest	Total		_	Principal		Interest		Total			
2007	\$	894,240	\$	200,517	\$	\$ 1,094,757		1,233,342	\$	982,069	\$	2,215,411			
2008		922,848		155,580		1,078,428	-	1,295,992		923,724	-	2,219,716			
2009		995,268		109,289	1,104,557			1,293,375		862,028		2,155,403			
2010		948,374		59,312	1,007,686			1,315,796		801,095		2,116,891			
2011		90,460		20,423	110,883			1,368,296		743,031		2,111,327			
2012-2016		259,619		58,931		318,550		5,919,180		2,842,985		8,762,165			
2017-2021		69,280		7,804		77,084		5,250,720		1,596,608		6,847,328			
2022-2026		9,303		647		9,950		2,565,704		537,697		3,103,401			
2027-2031		-		-		-		575,000		115,975		690,975			
2032-2036	_		_			-	_	125,000	_	3,125	_	128,125			
Total	\$	4,189,392	\$	612,503	\$	4,801,895	\$	20,942,405	\$	9,408,337	\$:	30,350,742			

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 6 - Long-term Debt (Continued)

Defeased Debt - In prior years, the Township defeased certain bonds by placing the proceeds of new bonds in an irrevocable trust to provide for all future debt service payments on the old bonds. Accordingly, the trust accounts' assets and liabilities for the defeased bonds are not included in the basic financial statements. At June 30, 2006, \$3,150,000 of bonds outstanding are considered defeased.

Subsequent Events - Subsequent to year end, the Township issued four separate installment purchase obligations relating to various special assessments. Total debt issued was \$961,165, payable at 4.55 percent, due through 2017. Construction related to the debt issuance is scheduled to begin in 2007.

Component Unit - Library - Long-term debt of the component unit consists of compensated absences totaling \$17,656. The liability increased from the prior year by \$1,472.

Note 7 - Defined Contribution Pension Plan

The Township provides pension benefits to all of its full-time employees, except police officers, through a defined contribution plan. In a defined contribution plan, benefits depend solely on amounts contributed to the plan plus investment earnings. As established by the Township board, the Township contributes 10 percent of employees' gross earnings. In accordance with these requirements, the Township contributed approximately \$142,000 during the year.

Note 8 - Defined Benefit Pension Plan

Plan Description

The Township participates in the Michigan Municipal Employees' Retirement System (MMERS), an agent multiple-employer system that is available to command officers and to all police patrol employees of the Township. MMERS provides retirement benefits and disability and death benefits to plan members and their beneficiaries. MMERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for MMERS. That report may be obtained by writing to MMERS at 1134 Municipal Way, Lansing, MI 48917.

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 8 - Defined Benefit Pension Plan (Continued)

Contributions

The obligation to contribute to and maintain MMERS for these employees was established by negotiation with the Township's competitive bargaining units. The Township is required to contribute up to a maximum of \$2,500 to the system on behalf of the command officers, with any costs over and above the amount being the responsibility of the employees. The police patrol employees' agreement requires a contribution of 3 percent of the first \$4,200 of annual compensation and 5 percent of portions over \$4,200.

Annual Pension Cost

For the year ended June 30, 2006, the Township's annual pension cost of \$112,979 for the plan was equal to the Township's required and actual contribution. The annual required contribution was determined as part of an actuarial valuation at December 31, 2004, using the entry age actuarial cost method. Significant actuarial assumptions used include (a) a rate of return on the investment of present and future assets of 8.0 percent per year compounded annually, (b) projected salary increases of 4.5 percent per year compounded annually, attributable to inflation, (c) additional projected salary increases of 0 percent to 8.4 percent per year, attributable to seniority/merit, and (d) the assumption that benefits will increase 2.5 percent per year (annually) after retirement. Both (a) and (b) include an inflation component of 4.5 percent. The actuarial value of assets was determined using techniques that smooth the effects of short-term volatility over a five-year period. The unfunded actuarial liability is being amortized as a level percentage of payroll on a closed basis. The remaining amortization period is 30 years.

Three-year trend information as of June 30 is as follows:

	Fiscal Year Ended June 30							
	2006		2005			2004		
Annual pension costs (APC)	\$	112,979	\$	99,919	\$	77,524		
Percentage of APC contributed		100%	100%			100%		
		As	of	December				
		2005		2004		2003		
Actuarial value of assets	\$	659,459	\$	543,920	\$	440,769		
Actuarial accrued liability (AAL) (entry age)	\$	1,575,683	\$	1,428,771	\$	1,286,025		
Unfunded AAL (UAAL)	\$	916,224	\$	884,851	\$	845,256		
Funded ratio		41.9%		38.1%		34.3%		
Covered payroll	\$	783,856	\$	763,112	\$	685,168		
UAAL as a percentage of covered payroll		117%		116%		123%		

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 9 - Investments in Joint Ventures

The Township is a member of the Portage - Base Lakes Area Water and Sewer Authority (the "Authority"), which provides sewer services to the residents of Hamburg, Dexter, Putnam, and Webster Townships. The residents of the participating communities provide annual funding for its operations via sewer billings. The Township is unaware of any circumstance that would cause an additional benefit or burden to the participating governments in the near future. Complete financial statements for the Authority can be obtained from the administrative offices at 10405 Merrill Road, Hamburg, Michigan. The investment is recorded in the governmental activities and is calculated as 35.3 percent of the Authority's year-end fund balance at March 31, 2006.

The Township is a member of the Livingston Community Water Authority (the "Water Authority"), which will provide water services to the residents of Hamburg, Brighton, and Green Oak Townships. Once services are provided, the participating communities will provide annual funding for its operations via water billings. As of June 30, 2006, the Water Authority had not yet begun providing service to the Township residents. The Township is unaware of any circumstances that would cause an additional financial benefit or burden to the participating governments in the near future. The investment is recorded in the business-type activity - water system at June 30, 2006.

Note 10 - Risk Management

The Township is exposed to various risks of loss related to property loss, torts, errors and omissions, and employee injuries (workers' compensation), as well as medical, dental, and optical benefits provided to employees. The Township has purchased commercial insurance for employee injuries, medical, dental, and optical claims, and participates in the Michigan Municipal Risk Management Authority for claims relating to property and general liability. Settled claims relating to the commercial insurance have not exceeded the amount of insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

The Michigan Municipal Risk Management Authority's State Pool program operates as a common risk-sharing management program for local units of government in Michigan. Member premiums are used to purchase excess insurance coverage and to pay member claims in excess of deductible amounts. A portion of the excess insurance coverage is underwritten by the Michigan Municipal Risk Management Authority itself.

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note II - Assets Restricted for Capital and Debt

Restricted assets in the Sewer Enterprise Fund as June 30, 2006 consist of the following:

Bank deposits and investments	\$ 8,312,222
Special assessment receivables:	
Current	1,446,242
Long-term	 9,392,711
Total	\$ 19,151,175

These assets are restricted specifically for various capital improvements as well as the payment of the related debt.

Note 12 - Postemployment Benefits

The Township provides health care and life insurance benefits to all full-time police employees (with the exception of the police chief and administrative assistant) upon retirement, in accordance with labor contracts. Currently, there are no retirees eligible for the benefits. The Township includes pre-Medicare retirees and their dependents in its insured health care plan, with no contribution required by the participant. The Township purchases Medicare supplemental insurance for retirees eligible for Medicare.

Expenditures for postemployment health care benefits are recognized as the insurance premiums become due; during the year, there were no expenditures incurred by the Township.

Upcoming Reporting Change

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board has recently released Statement No. 45, Accounting and Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions. The new pronouncement provides guidance for local units of government in recognizing the cost of retiree health care, as well as any other postemployment benefits (other than pensions). The new rules will cause the government-wide financial statements to recognize the cost of providing retiree health care coverage over the working life of the employee, rather than at the time the health care premiums are paid. The new pronouncement is effective for the year ending June 30, 2009.

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2006

Note 13 - Stewardship, Compliance, and Accountability

Fund Deficits - The Township has an accumulated fund deficit of \$11 in the Winans Drive Maintenance SAD Fund (included in the nonmajor Capital Projects Fund Maintenance SADs Funds). The Winans Drive deficit will be corrected through the 2006/2007 special assessment related to the road maintenance. In addition, the Buhl Road Debt Service Fund has a fund deficit of \$223. The shortfall is due to the timing of collections related to the special assessments and the recording of the deferred revenue liability. The shortfall will be corrected through collections of the receivable and recording of the deferred revenue as revenue.

Required Supplemental Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule - General Fund Year Ended June 30, 2006

	Original			Amended			Variance with	
		Budget		Budget		Actual	Amended Bu	dget
Fund Balance - Beginning of year	\$	2,765,267	\$	2,768,079	\$	2,768,079	\$	-
Revenues and Transfers In								
Property taxes		786,443		786,443		785,305	(1,	138)
Licenses and permits		226,000		226,000		225,995		(5)
State sources		1,433,309		1,433,309		1,420,993	(12,	316)
Charges for services		950,903		613,109		647,018	33,	909
Interest and other		96,011		96,011		104,474	8,	463
Proceeds from long-term debt issue		-	_	-		10,682	10,	682
Total revenues and transfers in		3,492,666		3,154,872		3,194,467	39,	595
Expenditures and Transfers Out								
Legislative - Township board		110,027		109,557		112,445	(2,	888)
General government:								
Township supervisor		121,325		120,148		117,950	2,	198
Elections		19,353		19,353		13,954	5,	399
Accounting		161,073		161,073		152,186	8,8	887
Assessor		268,745		268,746		250,701	18,	045
Clerk		218,147		222,315		203,667	18,	648
Board of review		1,607		1,607		912		695
Treasurer		142,709		147,321		143,497	3,8	824
Township building and grounds		291,425		303,425		288,349	15,0	076
Cemetery		36,582		36,582		27,446	9,	136
Unallocated		234,854		234,854		247,704	(12,	850)
Environmental review board		31,745		31,745		20,263	11,	<u>482</u>
Total general government		1,527,565		1,547,169		1,466,629	80,	540
Public safety:								
Planning commission		131,191		131,191		81,327	49,	864
Zoning administrator		216,975		216,975		208,978	7,	997
Zoning board of appeals		7,886		7,886	_	7,092		<u>794</u>
Total public safety		356,052		356,052		297,397	58,	655
Public works:								
Street lighting		12,000		12,000		12,384	(384)
Mapping		154,062		154,062		153,350	•	712
Utility/SAD department		313,522	_	65,563	_	62,381	3,	182
Total public works		479,584		231,625		228,115	3,	510

Required Supplemental Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule - General Fund (Continued) Year Ended June 30, 2006

	Original	Amended		Variance with
	Budget	Budget	Actual	Amended Budget
Expenditures and Transfers Out (Continued)				
Health and welfare	79,489	79,489	67,922	11,567
Recreation and cultural - Recreation board	44,556	44,556	38,821	5,735
Other uses - Operating transfers out	788,917	788,917	889,154	(100,237)
Total expenditures and transfers out	3,386,190	3,157,365	3,100,483	56,882
Fund Balance - End of year	\$ 2,871,743	\$ 2,765,586	\$ 2,862,063	\$ 96,477

Required Supplemental Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule Police Special Revenue Fund Year Ended June 30, 2006

	Origi	nal Budget		Amended Budget		Actual	Variance with Amended Budget	
Fund Balance - Beginning of year	\$	(4,399)	\$	178	\$	178	\$	-
Revenues and Transfers In								
Property taxes		859,590		859,590		859,282		(308)
Charges for services		7,500		7,500		11,330		3,830
Fines and forfeitures		20,000		20,000		26,938		6,938
Interest and other		6,400		17,128		14,090		(3,038)
Operating transfers in		812,384		1,033,248		1,034,501	_	1,253
Total revenues and transfers in		1,705,874		1,937,466		1,946,141		8,675
Expenditures and Transfers Out								
Public safety		1,543,507		1,779,632		1,787,444		(7,812)
Transfers		157,968	_	157,969	_	157,969	_	-
Total expenditures and transfers out		1,701,475		1,937,601		1,945,413		(7,812)
Fund Balance - End of year	\$	_	\$	43	\$	906	\$	863

Required Supplemental Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule Fire Special Revenue Fund Year Ended June 30, 2006

	Amended Original Budget Budget					Actual	Variance with Amended Budget	
Fund Balance - Beginning of year	\$	479,718	\$	638,989	\$	638,989	\$	-
Revenues and Transfers In								
Property taxes		822,236		822,236		821,940		(296)
Interest and other		33,500		33,500		34,409		`909 [´]
Proceeds from sale of capital assets			_		_	6,600		6,600
Total revenues and transfers in		855,736		855,736		862,949		7,213
Expenditures and Transfers Out								
Public safety		569,716		569,716		569,161		555
Transfers to other funds		182,652	_	182,652		182,652		
Total expenditures and transfers out		752,368	_	752,368		751,813		555
Fund Balance - End of year	\$	583,086	\$	742,357	\$	750,125	\$	7,768

Note to Required Supplemental Information June 30, 2006

Note - Budgetary Information

Budgetary Information - The annual budget is prepared by the Township supervisor and adopted by the Township board; subsequent amendments are approved by the Township board. Unexpended appropriations lapse at year end; encumbrances are not included as expenditures. The amount of encumbrances outstanding at June 30, 2006 has not been calculated. During the current year, the budget was amended in a legally permissible manner.

The budget has been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, with the exception of operating transfers and proceeds from issuance of long-term debt and sale of assets, which have been included in the "revenue" and "expenditures" categories, rather than omitted from the budget statement.

The budget has been adopted on a total fund basis; expenditures at this level in excess of amounts budgeted are a violation of Michigan law. Comparison of actual results of operations to the budgets of the General Fund, Police Fund, and Fire Fund as adopted by the Township board are included in the required supplemental information of the basic financial statements. The additional detail in this statement is shown in greater detail than the budget that was adopted and is used to provide additional analysis for management use only. A comparison of actual results of operations to the budgets for nonmajor Special Revenue Funds as adopted by the board is available at the Township hall for inspection.

Significant Budget Overruns - During the year, the Township of Hamburg incurred expenditures that were in excess of the amounts budgeted as follows:

	_Fi	nal Budget	 Actual	Variance		
Police Fund	\$	1,937,601	\$ 1,945,413	\$	(7,812)	

The overrun resulted from higher than anticipated general operational costs.

Other Supplemental Information

	Special Revenue Funds									
	Road		Park Land Purchase			Training		Drug Law Enforcement		Capital provements
Assets										
Cash and investments	\$	179,524	\$	47,874	\$	1,765	\$	172,616	\$	316,450
Account receivable - Special assessments		-		-		-		-		-
Due from other funds	_	-								
Total assets	<u>\$</u>	179,524	\$	47,874	<u>\$</u>	1,765	<u>\$</u>	172,616	\$	316,450
Liabilities and Fund Balances										
Liabilities										
Accounts payable	\$	5,185	\$	-	\$	-	\$	6,600	\$	-
Due to other funds		-		-		-		26,478		-
Deferred revenue	_						_			
Total liabilities		5,185		-		-		33,078		-
Fund Balances										
Reserved for future cemetery expenditures		-		-		-		-		-
Unreserved, reported in:										
Special Revenue Funds		174,339		47,874		1,765		139,538		316,450
Debt Service Funds		-		-		-		-		-
Capital Project Funds	_									<u>-</u>
Total fund balances	_	174,339		47,874		1,765		139,538	_	316,450
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	179,524	\$	47,874	\$	1,765	\$	172,616	\$	316,450

Other Supplemental Information Combining Balance Sheet Nonmajor Governmental Funds June 30, 2006

	Debt Serv	vice F	unds	Capital Projects Fund			Fund	<u></u>						
	nford Park bt Service Fund		uhl Road bt Service Fund	М	aintenance SADs	Сар	oital Projects		manent Fund - Cemetery erpetual Care		tal Nonmajor overnmental Funds			
							,							
\$ 	14,872 71,967 -	\$	1,502 9,267 -	\$	21,345 - 19,020	\$	144,339 - -	\$	50,444 - -	\$	950,731 81,234 19,020			
<u>\$</u>	86,839	<u>\$</u>	10,769	\$	40,365	<u>\$</u>	144,339	<u>\$</u>	50,444	<u>\$</u>	1,050,985			
\$	- 14,649 71,967	\$	- 1,725 9,267	\$	2,399 16,470 -	\$	5,612 - -	\$	- - -	\$	19,796 59,322 81,234			
	86,616		10,992		18,869		5,612		-		160,352			
	-		-		-		-		50,444		50,444			
	- 223		- (223)		- -		- -		-		679,966 -			
_					21,496		138,727		<u> </u>		160,223			
	223		(223)		21,496		138,727		50,444		890,633			
\$	86,839	<u>\$</u>	10,769	\$	40,365	\$	144,339	\$	50,444	\$	1,050,985			

	Special Revenue Funds									
	Road	Park Land Purchase	Training	Drug Law Enforcement	Capital Improvements					
Revenue										
Special assessments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -					
Fines and forfeitures	-			450,709	-					
Charges for services	_	_	_	, -	_					
Interest and other	4,361	1,696	62	2,276	7,880					
Total revenue	4,361	1,696	62	452,985	7,880					
Expenditures										
Public safety	-	-	1,950	11,789	-					
Public works	90,967	-	-	-	-					
Debt service	-	-	-	-	-					
Capital outlay		2,600								
Total expenditures	90,967	2,600	1,950	11,789						
Excess of Revenue Over (Under) Expenditures	(86,606)	(904)	(1,888)	441,196	7,880					
Other Financing Sources (Uses)										
Transfers in	_	_	_	_	_					
Transfers out				(307,064)	(22,772)					
Total other financing sources (uses)				(307,064)	(22,772)					
Net Change in Fund Balances	(86,606)	(904)	(1,888)	134,132	(14,892)					
Fund Balances - Beginning of year	260,945	48,778	3,653	5,406	331,342					
Fund Balances - End of year	\$ 174,339	\$ 47,874	\$ 1,765	\$ 139,538	\$ 316,450					

Other Supplemental Information Combining Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Nonmajor Governmental Funds Year Ended June 30, 2006

Debt Serv	vice Funds	_			
Mumford Park Debt Service Fund	Buhl Road Debt Service Fund	Maintenance SADs	Capital Projects	Permanent Fund - Cemetery Perpetual Care	•
\$ 8,287 - - 284	\$ 1,165 - - - 4	\$ 50,189 - - 230	\$ - - - 5,165	\$ - - 1,548 1,553	\$ 59,641 450,709 1,548 23,511
8,571	1,169	50,419	5,165	3,101	535,409
9,530 9,530 (959)	- - - - - - 1,169	46,522 46,522 3,897	67,118 67,118 (61,953)	3,101	13,739 90,967 9,530 116,240 230,476 304,933
1,182	- (1,392)	210	36,684 (5,228)		38,076 (336,456)
1,182	(1,392)	210	31,456		(298,380)
223	(223)	4,107	(30,497)	3,101	6,553
		17,389	169,224	47,343	884,080
\$ 223	\$ (223)	\$ 21,496	\$ 138,727	\$ 50,444	\$ 890,633



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To the Members of the Township Board Township of Hamburg Livingston County, Michigan

Dear Board Members:

We recently completed our audit of the basic financial statements of Township of Hamburg for the year ended June 30, 2006. As a result of our audit, we have the following comments and recommendations for your review and consideration.

ACCOUNTING AND RECORDKEEPING ITEMS

As a result of our examination, we offer the following comments and recommendations relating to the Township's accounting and recordkeeping procedures:

Purchasing System

It was noted once again this year that the current purchasing system is not always operating as designed. For example, we found that various invoice dates precede the date of the approved purchase order and it was noted that a purchase that met the Board approval process threshold was made without receiving Board approval as the amounts due were paid in installments. We encourage the Township to review the current system that is in place and determine if adjustments should be made in current practices to strengthen the controls of the system.

Interfund Receivables, Payables and Transfer

During the course of our audit, we noted significant amounts and numbers of interfund receivables, payables and transfers. We suggest the following enhancement to the Township's monthly accounting procedures in order to properly account for interfund balances:

- Procedures should ensure that a balance in one fund corresponds to a balance in another fund.
- Common interfund balances within a fund (i.e., a fund has both a due from and a due to the same fund) should be combined through a journal entry.
- If a fund has cash available, pay off or reduce the interfund balance on a regular basis.



• If a fund does not have common interfunds nor cash available or the possibility of future cash flows is questionable, the interfunds should be analyzed for potential uncollectability and, if appropriate, adjustments should be made. In effect, the interfund may actually represent a transfer rather than a loan.

Monitoring and liquidating interfund balances will help to make interim financial reports simpler and easier to understand, ensure that each fund is able to invest and be credited with its share of investment earnings on a equitable basis and avoid cash flow surprises resulting from unexpected demands or needs to liquidate interfund balances

Other Items

While reviewing the Township's defined contribution calculations, we noted that there are no formal review procedures in place, including reviewer signature.

REVENUE SHARING

The State's fiscal year 2005/2006 provides for both constitutional and statutory revenue sharing at approximately \$1.1 billion, which is basically the fiscal year 2004/2005 funding level. As with the past several years, revenue sharing payments on an individual community-by-community basis for fiscal year 2005/2006 will be funded at approximately fiscal year 2004/2005 levels.

The Governor's proposed 2006/2007 budget did not include any additional funding for local governments. As a result, it is expected that overall revenue sharing payments to communities for fiscal year 2006/2007 will remain stagnant at the 2004/2005 level.

Even though there is the expectation that revenue sharing will hold constant at prior year funding levels, continued caution should be exercised when budgeting this line item. While it is good news that revenue sharing may be maintained at current levels, sales tax revenue would support an increase to total state shared revenue payments. However, for fiscal years 2004/2005, 2005/2006, and 2006/2007, the appropriation in the State's budget for revenue sharing payments is over \$500 million less annually than amounts provided for in law and based on actual sales tax collections. For those three years, revenue sharing distributions are planned to be approximately \$1.6 billion less than amounts provided by statutory formulas. There appears to be no long term solution to the State's structural deficit in its General Fund and as long as this condition exists revenue sharing remains at risk and a return to past funding levels is not likely in the foreseeable future.

The table below details state shared revenue for the Township over the past years broken out by statutory and constitutional portions. In addition, it details the total decrease in state shared revenue experienced by the Township compared to the State's fiscal year in the last few years.

State Fiscal Year	Statutory	Constitutional	Total	Decrease from 2001
2001	285,140	1,331,068	1,616,208	-
2002	275,587	1,344,544	1,620,131	3,923
2003	234,627	1,366,858	1,601,485	(14,723)
2004	87,328	1,352,011	1,439,339	(176,869)
2005	39,374	1,384,276	1,423,650	(192,558)
2006	-	1,407,843	1,407,843	(208,365)
2007 - Projected	-	1,446,795	1,446,795	(169,413)

We will continue to update the Township as developments occur.

MUNICIPAL FINANCE ACT REVISIONS – REMINDER

The Municipal Finance Act was amended several years ago. Communities are now required to submit a filing once a year with the Michigan Department of Treasury. The old ten day "exemption from prior approval" process has been eliminated and is replaced with this qualification process. This filing will serve as a pre-approval for future debt issues. The current filing is due within six months of the Township's year end (due December 31, 2006) and is good for one year thereafter.

We would like to thank Laurie Pravato as well as all of the Township personnel for their assistance during the audit. We appreciate the opportunity to serve as your auditors. If there are any questions about your financial report or the above comments and recommendations, we would be happy to discuss them at your convenience.

Very truly yours,

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